

DEATH AT THE DANCE AND MANY ARE HURT

BLOODY FREE-FOR-ALL AT WONEWOC.

One Man Was Killed; the Building Was Wrecked, and a Score of Men Are Laid Up With Their Injuries—Other News of Wisconsin Cities.

Wonewoc, Wis., March 6.—In a free-for-all fight at a Bohemian dance at Youba, participated in by a gang of toughs from Richland City, about 100 took part.

Frank Novy, a young Bohemian was struck on the head with a neck yoke which resulted in his death.

The hall is a total wreck, the front and sides of the building being torn down. The wounded men, from five to twenty, are laid up.

No arrests have been made. The fight is the result of bad blood between the Bohemians and other nationalities.

REV. F. B. ROGERS CALLED HOME

Well known Minister Answers the Final Summons—Other Deaths.

Fort Atkinson, Wis., March 6.—The Rev. Barton Figler Rogers died at 11:25 o'clock, having suffered over eight years with creeping paralysis. As chaplain of the Fifteenth Illinois Volunteers, during the war, he won the title of "The Working Chaplain" by his arduous labors on the battlefield and in the hospital, as well as in promoting literary works in barracks.

He was born in Piermont, N. H., July 13, 1832. After a few years of teaching in the West he studied for and entered the Universalist ministry, preaching at Fox Lake, Stoughton, Jefferson, Whitewater, Oshkosh and Wausau, Wis., and several places building churches. He was married at Berlin, Wis., in 1853, to Miss Elizabeth C. Vedder who with two sons and three daughters survives him. The funeral services will be held at the Universalist church next Sunday at 10:30 o'clock a. m., conducted by the Rev. Mr. Ralph of Columbus, Wis.

Brillion, Wis., March 6.—Mrs. Norville Apin, wife of Norville Apin, one of the wealthiest and largest farmers of Calumet county, is dead.

Kilbourn, Wis., March 6.—William Cusick, one of the best known men in Adams county, died this morning. He was a prominent democrat.

Neenah, March 6.—Mrs. H. Rheinhardt, an old resident of the town of Winchester, died yesterday.

Workhouse Saves Money.

Oshkosh, Wis., March 6.—The tramp evil and to a great extent the evil of excessive official fees, have been solved in Winnebago county. The remedy is a workhouse. From July 1 to March 1, 1896, under the old system the cost of tramps to Winnebago county was \$10,250.54. During a like period, since the establishment of the workhouse, the sum of only \$2,207.30 was expended. The superintendent's salary was \$1,650, while other expenses amounted to \$557.30. The saving to the county therefore for the period of eight months is \$3,043.24.

Mark W. Townsend's Examination.

Boscobel, Wis., March 6.—Mark W. Townsend, who was arrested at Ritzville, Washington, by Sheriff McGonigal of this county, charged with the murder of his wife, September 21, 1885, will have his examination on March 10. It is said some startling testimony will be brought out by the prosecution.

Cuban Rebels Capture a Train.

New York, March 6.—Delegate Palma has received a letter from Col. Nestor Aranguren giving an account of the capture of a train running between Guanabacoa and Regia, in the province of Havana, on Jan. 16. Col. Aranguren says that the Spanish captains, three first lieutenants, two second lieutenants, three soldiers, and sixty passengers were captured, and in addition eight soldiers were killed in the melee.

Thinks Durrant Will Hang.

San Francisco, Cal., March 6.—District Attorney Barnes, who conducted the prosecution against Theodore Durrant for the murder of Blanche Lamont in Emanuel church, thinks that the murderer will be hanged within 120 days. It is considered unlikely that the governor will interfere with the execution of sentence. Durrant's attorneys have threatened to carry the case into the federal courts, but upon what grounds cannot be guessed.

News from Brazil.

New York, March 6.—The correspondent of the Herald in Rio Janeiro, Brazil, telegraphs that President Moraes will at once reassume office.

The government insists upon a settlement of the Amapa question with France before proceeding further with negotiations with that nation as to other points in the Guiana boundary dispute.

SAY BUSINESS IS PICKING UP

R. G. Dun & Company Report a Gratifying Increase in Trade.

New York, March 6.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "The slow and gradual improvement observed for some time has continued during the last week and without material change. There is a better demand for most products on the whole, with a continuance of speculative buying in some, notably in wool, because of expected duties.

"Reports of probable needs abroad have helped speculation in wheat somewhat, but it has risen about 3 cents, though the price is still lower than two weeks ago. Corn is a cent stronger, about the price of two weeks ago. The corn exports continue so heavy as to compensate largely, if not wholly, for any decrease in wheat, amounting for the week to 2,779,974 bushels, Gulf ports not included, against 1,014,390 bushels last year. The grain supply of other countries continues much larger than a year ago.

"Cotton has declined 1/8 cent, and with good reason, for, although receipts from plantations fell off, the decrease is not greater than the decrease in consumption owing to stoppage of mills. As there is comparatively little cotton available in the country the market is a very convenient one for speculators to manipulate.

"While many of the mills have stopped production of cotton goods for a time, the general outlook is on the whole unchanged, and the demand for goods does not improve, while print cloths are a shade lower. The mills accumulated a stock far in excess of the actual demand during most of the dullness, and their enforced restrictions at this time is merely paying a debt.

"The demand for wool has diminished, though only a little, and sales are quiet, a third more than the full consumption of all mills, if all were at work, but the speculative buying continues. Western holders are too stiff for eastern purchasers, and the buying of domestic wool has slackened. Although some more mills have gone into operation, the course of the market has not favored great activity, but it may be said that for goods of the higher grades there is a better demand than heretofore.

"While the demand for Bessemer pig has sustained the recent advance to \$10.75 per ton at Pittsburgh, and gray forge is still quoted at \$9.40 there, and there is also less cutting of prices to get more business in finished products, the general range of prices still continues very low.

"The feature of special interest is the conservatism in trading indicated by the liabilities of trading failures in nearly every branch of business, contrasted with the slight increase of liabilities of manufacturing failures. Failures for the week have been 246 in the United States, against 285 last year, and fifty-nine in Canada, against sixty-eight last year."

Wants German Navy Increased.

Berlin, March 6.—In the reichstag Friday, during the discussion of the navy estimates, Vice Admiral von Hollmann, secretary for the navy, said that Germany expected that in a serious contingency her navy would prove efficient not only for coast defense, but on the high seas. He continued: "We still require ten cruisers, five dispatch vessels, two gunboats, five ironclads, two monitors, two floating batteries and twenty-five torpedo boats."

Prefers the Senatorial Toga.

Milwaukee, March 6.—The stories from Washington to the effect that Henry C. Payne will be given a foreign appointment are not to be believed. While neither Mr. Payne nor his friends have made any announcement to that effect, there is no doubt in the minds of well-posted politicians that when the proper time comes, unless his health should prevent, Henry C. Payne will be a candidate for the senatorial seat now occupied by John L. Mitchell.

Temperance Law for Indiana.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 6.—The fear that the anti-liquor bill might be strangled in the senate called out a number of city ministers Friday, and for the first time in the session several of them were upon the floor urging members to pass the bill. The bill was then made a special order for the afternoon, and when called up was promptly passed. It now goes to the governor for his signature.

Eight Firemen Badly Injured.

Worcester, Mass., March 6.—One of the worst fires ever known in this city early Friday morning destroyed the John E. Day five-story block, 302 to 312 Main street, and the Goulding block adjoining. The loss is estimated at \$400,000. Eight firemen were badly injured by falling walls, caused by explosions in the drug store of E. D. Buffington.

Will Cut Wages One-Tenth.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 6.—The St. Joseph & Grand Island Railway will make a horizontal cut of 10 per cent April 1, and no person in the employ of this company will escape the reduction. This action is taken as a necessary economic measure under the new management of the road.

Gold Reserve Increasing.

Washington, March 6.—Friday's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$212,725,207; gold reserve, \$150,698,630.

CABINET ACCEPTED BY THE SENATORS

INDORSE THE PRESIDENT'S SELECTIONS.

Secretaries Gage and Bliss Criticized By Messrs. Teller and Stewart, But No Desire to Hamper the Administration Evincing—Mark Hanna Is Now a Senator.

Washington, March 6.—The senate was in session only about two hours Friday, and the greater part of the time was spent in executive session in confirming Mr. McKinley's cabinet appointments. While in legislative session the credentials of Mr. Hanna as senator from Ohio, to succeed Mr. Sherman, were presented by Mr. Foraker, and he was sworn in by Vice President Hobart. Mr. Davis was also designated acting chairman of the committee on foreign relations to succeed Mr. Sherman.

The president at 12:45 o'clock sent the following nominations to the senate:

Secretary of State—John Sherman of Ohio.

Secretary of the Treasury—Lyman J. Gage of Illinois.

Secretary of War—Russell A. Alger of Michigan.

Attorney-General—Joseph McKenna of California.

Postmaster-General—James A. Gary of Maryland.

Secretary of the Navy—John D. Long of Massachusetts.

Secretary of the Interior—Cornelius N. Bliss of New York.

Secretary of Agriculture—James Wilson of Iowa.

The senate went at once into executive session, and, after confirmation of the cabinet, adjourned.

There was for a time a threat of opposition to Mr. Gage as secretary of the treasury, because of his financial views and because he is a banker, but there was more of this among senators in the cloak rooms than in the senate.

As soon as the announcement was made of the appointment of Senator Sherman, whose name headed the list, he was confirmed. It is the practice to refer all nominations to committee, but it was the desire of Mr. Sherman's friends to signalize their regard for him by immediate action.

The appointment of Mr. Bliss as secretary of the interior occupied attention from Senators Teller and Stewart, who stated that while they had no intention to make any effort to balk the president in his selection of his cabinet ministers, they still felt constrained to point out the inadvisability of selecting a man who was not a lawyer for a position which required the exercise of so much legal ability.

Senator Hoar (Mass.) paid a high tribute to Mr. Bliss. He pointed out that many of the questions decided by the secretary of the interior were prepared by law clerks. Mr. Hoar argued that no matter how good a lawyer a man might be he could not investigate all the matters that came before him as the head of a department of this government. For that reason a law force had been provided to assist the secretary in his work. He said that the business ability of Mr. Bliss was unquestioned.

Senators Lodge and Chandler followed in much the same strain. Mr. Lodge suggested that possibly there was some feeling that this office should go to the West.

Senators Teller and Stewart both declared they entertained no feeling on this score, saying that the location of a man's residence would not count with them, provided he was familiar with the questions which would require his attention.

The reference to Mr. Gage was mainly on account of what was termed his gold-standard views, and it was intimated that as secretary of the treasury he would maintain the gold standard, notwithstanding the promises of the administration to promote bimetallicism. When the list had been confirmed the senate adjourned until Monday.

Mark Hanna a Senator.

Washington, March 6.—Mark Hanna was sworn in as senator to succeed Senator Sherman, resigned.

Will Probe Bribery Charges.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 6.—There was a whirl of excitement in the house Friday when the speaker intimated that there had been an attempt to bribe one of the clerks, and appointed a committee of investigation, headed by Representative Smith of Tippecanoe. The speaker declined to explain, pending the investigation, but it is practically settled there was an attempt to tamper with the bill recently passed creating the Lake county Superior court, the object being to give it concurrent jurisdiction with the Lake Circuit court.

To Regulate Corporations.

Lansing, Mich., March 6.—The senate Friday passed a bill appropriating \$7,500 for the Michigan exhibit at the Tennessee Centennial Exposition, which will undoubtedly pass the house without opposition. A joint resolution was discussed in the house committee of the whole which provides that no corporation, not even municipal, shall have authority for existence except by a special act of the Legislature. Both houses adjourned until Monday evening.

A TRAIN PLUNGES INTO A LANDSLIDE

WRECK OF A MISSOURI PACIFIC PASSENGER.

One Man Killed and Another Nearly Roasted Alive—Mail Car Entirely Consumed—Thick Fog Causes a Wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio Road.

Bonnets Mill, Mo., March 6.—Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 4 ran into a landslide about one and one-half miles west of Stauber at 7 o'clock Friday night. The engine, tender and mail car were telescoped, setting fire to the baggage car, and both were entirely consumed. One man was killed and his body cremated, another was fatally burned, and a third badly injured. The dead:

W. A. ROSENBERGER, Bloomington, Ill., 30, single; body consumed.

The injured:

Edward Lusman, fireman, 23, married, St. Louis; pinned under tender; body crushed and cooked from waist down; inhaled steam; will die. Frank Lauber, engineer, St. Louis; ribs broken and head hurt; will recover.

The train was running forty miles an hour on a down grade when the accident happened. Fireman Lusman was caught beneath the tender, but the engineer was thrown high in the air and broke his ribs by falling on the wrecked cars. The rest of the train was jarred off the track, but not a passenger was hurt or even badly shaken.

Almost before the passengers were out of the coaches the mail car was on fire. All but a few pieces of mail were burned. The baggage car was burning furiously, and beneath it all, shielded, yet pinned under the tender, was Lusman, the fireman. Scalding water was pouring over his legs and the fire was growing at his back. He begged the wounded engineer to shoot him; tried hard to reach for his own knife, and implored those who stood helplessly about to cut his throat and put him out of his misery.

A wreck train, which had been side-tracked by the express, ran up behind the wreck. A bucket line was formed, and with all the passengers helping, water was carried from the Missouri River to the fire. Coats were thrown over the fireman to protect him from the steam, while the men of the wreck train tried to extricate him. Finally they got him out—practically dead.

CAUSED BY A FOG.

Freight Train Crashes into a Passenger Near Loveland, O.

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 6.—During the rain and a thick fog passenger train No. 105, westbound, on the Midland branch of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad, was stopped by a landslide near Hills station, five miles east of Loveland. A heavy freight came thundering through the fog and crashed into the sleeper, whose occupants were all in berths. The fatally injured are:

R. H. WARDOCK, superintendent of parks, Cincinnati, shoulders cut and bruised and hurt internally.

P. D. DOFFINS, Wheeling, W. Va., scalded; right leg crushed; died later.

G. H. RUPE, Richmond, Ind., scalded and injured internally; dying.

MR. L. MYERS, St. Louis, legs and head bruised.

The less seriously injured are

E. A. Watrous, New York, bruised and cut by glass.

W. R. Conner, New York, bruised and cut.

Mexicans Are Alarmed.

Oaxaca, Mexico, March 6.—The country south of here continues to be greatly disturbed by earthquakes, and the people in some of the smaller mountain villages are terribly alarmed. Many of them have come to the city, bringing their families with them. The earthquake shocks are felt every hour or two, day or night.

Miners Willing to Arbitrate.

Denver, Colo., March 6.—The legislature in joint session unanimously adopted the report of the committee on investigation of the Leadville strike, which recommended arbitration. The miners' union is ready to arbitrate, but the mine owners have not yet signified their willingness.

Three More Men May Die.

Boston, Mass., March 6.—Three more deaths are likely to result from the subway explosion at Tremont and Boylston streets Thursday. They are R. R. Sargent, street car driver; William Maybourn, hotel waiter; Paul Hackett, street car conductor. Hackett's case, however, is the most hopeful of the three.

No Opposition to Tom Reed.

Washington, March 6.—There will be no opposition whatever to the choice of Speaker Reed as the Republican candidate for another term in that position. There has been mention of Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio, and Mr. Hopkins of Illinois as possible candidates, but neither gentleman desires to run.

Cleveland Declines a Banquet.

New York, March 6.—Mr. Cleveland has declined to let the New York chamber of commerce, of which he is an honorary member, give him a grand banquet as a testimonial of their regard for the ex-president.

GREAT CLOUDBURST IN OHIO

Great Damage Already Reported from Raging Rivers.

Cincinnati, O., March 6.—An unexpected and unprecedented rainfall here has given rise to disagreeable forebodings of another flood in Ohio. There has been a sudden swelling of all the little streams and there will certainly be a rise in the Miami and Licking rivers, which will immediately swell the Ohio at this point.

Reports continue to come in of losses caused by the heavy rains of Thursday. The town of Lockland, Ohio, is inundated. At Cumminsville, in the northern part of the city, the flood is doing more harm than the recent high water of the Ohio, because the latter was still, back water, while this is a raging torrent. Houses, weakened by the Ohio river, were moved from their foundations by this overflow. All small streams are swollen and the rain still falls heavily, while in Cincinnati the low-lying smoke produces an almost inky darkness. The Ohio river is rising seven inches an hour.

UNCLE SAM MAY NEED CASH

Failure of Appropriation Bills Jeopardizes the Government.

Washington, March 6.—The failure of President Cleveland to sign three appropriation bills, the sundry civil, agricultural and Indian, and the inability of congress to agree upon the general deficiency bill, will entail much unexpected work upon the extra session of the new congress, and possibly may delay, to some extent, the enactment of the new tariff law. It is said that the Republican house leaders will not, if they can prevent it, permit any questions of appropriations which are likely to consume much time to take precedence over the consideration of the tariff bill. The failure of the deficiency bill will cripple several branches of the government service, unless early provision is made for them, and it means the absolute paralysis of the customs service unless some bill is passed to provide for its expenses about the first of April.

Settlers Removed by Force.

Pender, Neb., March 6.—Excitement again prevails here over the forcible removal of settlers from the reservation. It is a revival of the trouble which provoked a congressional investigation last year. J. S. Hogan and family were ejected late last night. The Indian police lay in ambush, expecting Hogan and his wife to pass, which they did. A fight took place, and it was with considerable difficulty that Hogan was overpowered. He was put in irons and taken to the agency. A. J. Hanika and two or three other families will be removed also.

Crowd Was Not So Large.

Washington, March 6.—According to the best estimate of the railroads up to date, the total visiting crowd was about 175,000, a little less than half the number four years ago. Even these have quickly dispersed, and while there are still noticeable crowds in and about the public buildings, and the street-car lines are more than commonly crowded, the sidewalks are about down to their normal population.

Cyclone in Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., March 6.—Heavy damage was done by a cyclone that swept through this state Friday, coming from the southwest. A terrific windstorm struck Winchester at noon. The track of the twister was about half a mile wide. Many residences and barns were destroyed.

Unverified reports from the country indicate considerable damage and probable loss of life.

A barn on the place of Dr. E. R. Cook, four miles east of Hopkinsville, was blown down, killing one negro who was stripping tobacco, and perhaps fatally injuring three others.

Says the Competitor Was Sunk.

New York, March 6.—A special to the Evening World from Key West, Fla., says a reliable passenger arriving on the Havana steamer says positively that the schooner Competitor and its crew were released by the Spanish government last Sunday. It is further stated that the boat was sunk by a Spanish gunboat after the release, all hands being drowned. It is thought that the release was, in fact, made for that purpose.

Fruit Growers Meet.

Washington, March 6.—The national convention of state horticultural societies met Friday in the Ebbitt House. The purpose of the convention is to consider and recommend the most appropriate federal and state legislation for preventing the introduction or diffusion of noxious insects and fungi into the United States. E. H. Cushman, president of the Ohio Horticultural Society, was chosen for president.

Cloakmakers Win Their Strike.

New York, March 6.—The strike of cloak-makers in this city has been called off by the executive committee of the United Brotherhood of Cloakmakers. The operatives have been granted an increase of 10 per cent in wages.

Albert W. Wells Dead.

Quincy, Ill., March 6.—Senator Albert W. Wells, chairman of the Democratic legislative caucus and steering committee, and a leader of his party at Springfield, died Friday of liver troubles, aged 56 years.

THE PLUCKY GREEKS ARE HOT FOR WAR

THEY SET THE POWERS AT DEFIANCE.

The Government Refuses to Abandon Crete—Her Army Will Be on a War Footing When the European Ultimatum Expires—Powers Hold Divided Opinions.

Athens, March 6.—The war fever continues unabated, both the king and his government defying the ultimatum of the powers. They are decided to undertake war against Turkey and to put the whole army on a war footing. The total strength of the Greek army when the ultimatum expires on Sunday is expected to amount to 50,000 men. The third class of marine reservists has been called out.

NEED A LEADER.

Lack of a Great Statesman Acutely Felt in Europe.

Vienna, March 6.—The situation has become most critical. The European concert is imaginary. No concert is possible without the guiding first violin, such as Prince Bismarck or Lord Beaconsfield would have been. Without a directing personality the musicians would be continually playing false notes, resulting in discord and chaos.

Count Goluchowski's sensible proposal for coercion in the summer of 1896, which was declined by Lord Salisbury, was honest and offered a chance to save the situation. The means since employed are revolutionary, forming precedents which must bring about open antagonism between Great Britain and Russia in the struggle for the world's hegemony, which Russia would fain defer. Lord Salisbury's attitude is consistent, presuming his nerve, which failed him in 1896, is steady. England's opportunity is now.

Lord Salisbury's paramount anxiety is to avoid the odium of breaking the peace. Greece will relieve him of this by refusing to evacuate Crete, relying on the support of Italian and British sympathy with Crete. Commanding the Dardanelles and covering Egypt, Crete must, according to British policy, belong to Greece, when, with British assistance, Crete will become another Gibraltar.

Russia cannot possibly allow this. Hence coming eventualities will find Russia siding with Turkey and also with Bulgaria, which hates Greece.

The outbreak of hostilities portends another Panama for France, which holds a hundred millions in Turkish securities.

Fight on the Governor.

Bismarck, N. D., March 6.—The legislature of North Dakota wound up its session in one of the most tumultuous scenes in the state's history. Governor Briggs vetoed every appropriation bill, for the reason that if they became laws they would increase the state debt beyond the constitutional limit. The Republicans, who have a two-thirds majority in each house, passed all the appropriation bills over the governor's veto.

Judge Yapple Consents to Run.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 6.—Judge George L. Yapple of Mendon, nominated for justice of the Supreme Court by the fusionist convention, telegraphed to friends in this city Friday that he would make the race. Robert McDougall of Hillsdale and M. O. Graves of Petoskey, who were nominated for regents by the bolting Populist convention, have both declined to run, and the straight Populist ticket has not yet been filled.

Weyler Soon to Leave for Spain.

Havana, March 6.—General Weyler returned yesterday afternoon on the Legazpi, having been delayed on account of the storms along the northern coast. Don Manuel Calvo, the agent of the Spanish Trans-Atlantic company, stated that all inquiries for passage on the 10th and 20th of the month were dependent upon the departure of the captain general, who will leave on one of these dates for Spain.

Lively Fight at a Dance.

Wonewoc, Wis., March 6.—In a free-for-all fight at a Bohemian dance at Youba, participated in by a gang of toughs from Richland City, Frank Novy, a young Bohemian, was struck on the head with a neckyoke in the hands of one of the gang, which resulted in his death. The wounded men, from fifteen to twenty, are laid up on account of their injuries. No arrests have been made.

Illinois Legislature.

Springfield, Ill., March 6.—Acting Speaker Selby and Representatives Merriam, Buckner, Lamont and Murray of Sangamon were present when the house convened at 5 o'clock Friday, the Democratic side being entirely unrepresented. News of the death of Senator Wells was received, and a committee of five was appointed to attend the funeral.

Globe Shipbuilders' Strike.

Cleveland, O., March 6.—There are strong indications that the strike at the Globe Shipbuilding company's yards will be ended soon. There was a conference yesterday between the striking workmen and the manager, and considerable progress toward an agreement was made.

THE WEEK'S WORK AT THE CAPITAL

BRIBERY CHARGES NOT YET IN EVIDENCE.

There Is Nothing to Show That Votes Could Be Bought or Sold—Probability Now, That the Amendment Creating a State Board of Pardons Will Pass.

MADISON, Wis., March 6—[Special].—The legislature has finished a large amount of work this week, holding two sessions daily, with committees holding meetings often, both afternoon and evening, but there are still a large number of important measures to be disposed of, and there is no prospect of the session ending before the early part of April. Two bills which promised to develop the only lively subject of the week were put over in the assembly. These were the bills to depose the president of the state university as a member of the board of regents of that institution and the bill introduced at the instance of the state medical society which prohibits any person from practicing medicine without passing a satisfactory examination and providing for a state board of examiners. Both were put over till next week. Quite a flurry arose over the medical bill from the fact that charges of bribery have been floating through the air in connection with it and it has been promised that when the bill came up for action there would be affidavits presented certifying that assemblymen had been offered \$50 for their votes in favor of the bill.

McGrath's Object Lesson.

The bill would have been acted on Wednesday night but for the absence of "Dr." McGrath, the Green Bay lumberman, who without going to the trouble of studying medicine secured a certificate from a Milwaukee "medical college" by paying \$25, his object being to secure an object lesson for use in opposition to the bill, persons who hold certificates from medical colleges being exempt from examination. It seems to be "in the air" that Senator Whitehead's bill requiring railroads to carry bicycles free as baggage, in lieu of other baggage, will not become a law. Bicyclists from all over the state continue to flood the legislature with petitions in favor of the bill, but the railroads are against it, and the general opinion is that they will succeed in accomplishing its defeat.

The Convict Labor Petition.

Speaking of petitions, some of those which come in asking for the passage of No. 118 S., which provides for the abolishment of contract labor at the state prison, are so pathetic in their phrasing as to become almost comical, especially when it becomes evident from the similarity of the titles that all originate from the same source. They are variously designated as "petitions from law-abiding workingmen who earn their bread by the sweat of their brow for protection from competition with the great state of Wisconsin and the men who break its laws;" and various other titles which contain so much of buncombe as to lose much of their force. It is generally recognized, however, that there is merit in the complaints, but the problems of prison labor is yet unsolved, and nothing so radical as is proposed by this bill will be passed by the present legislature.

Amendment Likely to Pass.

Senator Putnam's joint resolution for a constitutional amendment providing for a state board of pardons to take the pardoning power out of the hands of the governor, after being defeated by a close vote in the assembly, is now likely to pass. It had already passed the senate, but lacked four votes of concurrence in the assembly. Friday, however, it was voted to recall the bill from the senate by a big majority, and then it was laid over until next Wednesday, when it is believed it will pass. It will still be necessary for it to pass another legislature and then be submitted to a vote of the people.

GEN. J. B. DOE'S SUCCESSOR

H. G. Otis, Proprietor of the Los Angeles Times, May Be Appointed

A Washington dispatch says: None of the members of President McKinley's cabinet appeared at the department this forenoon, and they will not be installed until next week. The hold-over secretaries continue to discharge the duties of their places. There has been a lull in the speculation

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tion as to the subordinate secretaries, heads of bureaus, unprotected by Civil Service rules, etc. The only name that came out prominently today was that of Harrison G. Otis, proprietor of the Los Angeles, Cal., Times, who, it is understood, is slated to be assistant secretary of war to succeed General Joseph B. Doe of Wisconsin.

COOKING SCHOOL RECEIPTS.

Formulas Used by Miss Mary Lamson Clarke at Concordia Hall.

The receipts used by Miss Mary Lamson Clarke at the cooking school in Concordia hall were as follows:

Whole Wheat Flour Bread.

One pint new milk, one tea spoon sugar, one tea spoon salt, one-half ounce yeast, mix well together and set in a warm place till the yeast floats. Add sifted flour to make a batter, about three cups, and beat well with a wooden spoon; then add more flour and knead thoroughly. Set to rise in a cool place (60 to 70 degrees) until double its bulk; push down and let rise again. Shape into loaves or rolls and let rise to double its bulk, and bake like the usual white bread.

English Boiled Beef.

Select a piece with a small proportion of bone. A cut from the round if a large piece is wanted, or an end of a rib or a small piece. Tie firmly into shape, rub with salt and dry the surface with a cloth. Pass a small piece of fat meat quickly over the bottom of a very hot kettle, lay the meat in and turn it quickly until seared on all sides; then add one pint water and boil rapidly for five minutes. Cover closely and reduce the heat to the simmering point. Allow fifteen minutes to the pound, with an extra half hour for a large piece. Lift the meat to a hot platter and let the gravy reduce to a glaze, or finish with brown gravy.

For one pint of the water in which beef has boiled, allow one tablespoon of cornstarch rubbed smooth in cold water. Cook hard for ten minutes, adding more salt and pepper if needed, and one tablespoon "kitchen bouquet" or "burnt onion sauce."

Swedish Timbale Shells.

One cup milk. One cup flour. One egg. One salt tea spoon melted butter, well mixed together. Let stand an hour before using.

Rice Timbales.

One cup of rice well washed and soaked one hour in cold water. Drain and add one pint boiling water and boil gently till the kernels begin to break. Remove the cover and add one level tea spoon salt, one table spoon of butter, one half cup of milk and one beaten egg. Stir vigorously and press into buttered forms. Set these into hot water to poach for one half hour or till ready for use. Turn out around the meat on a hot platter.

Stewed Carrots.

Wash, scrape and cut to the size of spring carrots. Cook in plain water till nearly tender then drain. Return to the sauce pan with one table spoon butter, one table spoon sugar and one-half cup stock or water for each pint and simmer till very soft. Remove the cover and let them dry; sprinkle lightly with salt and pepper and one table spoon chopped parsley and turn into a hot serving dish.

Virginia Cabbage.

Cut the cabbage into shreds about one-half inch wide. Let them lie in cold water till crisp; then drain and throw into boiling water, not less than three quarts (more will not harm) water to each quart of cabbage. Boil "galloping" uncovered until tender (from ten to twenty minutes), drain and set back on the stove with one table spoon butter, one-four cup of cream, salt and pepper to taste for each quart of cabbage. Let simmer till the cream has dried away, or dredge a dust of flour, stir lightly and serve as soon as it is hot.

Fruit Soup.

One table spoon of raisins, two table spoons of rice, three cloves, one cup dried apricots which have been soaked over night. Add enough water to make three pints, and simmer two hours, or until the whole will pass through a sieve. Season with one-half tea spoon salt, one table spoon sugar and a dash of lemon if required. Apples, cherries, prunes or pears make an excellent variation.

Orange Bavarian Cream.

Soak one ounce gelatine (Knox granulated) in one half cup cold water for ten minutes, add one half cup boiling water and stir until dissolved. Beat the yolks of three eggs with six table spoons sugar to a cream. Whisk is the juice of orange to the amount of one pint, and enough lemon juice to make it a little acid. Strain the gelatine and set to cool. Whip one pint cream, and beat the whites of three eggs dry. As soon as the gelatine mixture begins to stiffen, whip it to a froth, add the whipped cream and the white of egg, and pour into a mold that has been rinsed in cold water and sprinkle with sugar. Set on ice six or eight hours.

Notice of Drawing Jury.

Notice is hereby given that the petit jurors to serve at the April term of the Circuit court for Rock county, A. D. 1897, will be drawn at the office of the clerk of the Circuit court for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville in said county at two o'clock p. m. on Monday the 16th day of March A. D. 1897.

Help Laboring Men.

The laboring man is protected in the new organization being perfected by F. F. MacNichol of Oshkosh, in a way that has never before been possible. He can collect all wages due him for labor on any article on which he may have been employed, even though the goods have passed out of his hands.

A LUNCHEON SERVED TO SCHOOL BOARD

COMMISSIONERS ENTERTAINED BY THE PUPILS.

Young Ladies of the Cooking Class Get Up a Dainty Menu Physical Map Bought By Laws Are Changed—Thanks for Donations—Other Business Done.

At the regular meeting of the school board last evening, the commissioners voted to buy a set of Rand, McNally & Company's physical maps, at a cost not to exceed thirty dollars. Authorized superintendent Mayne to adopt the vertical system of penmanship in cases where he deems it beneficial.

Gave thanks to several people for donation of articles useful to the school. Changed the by-laws; ordered a ton of pea coal; paid a number of bills, etc., and adjourned to partake of a luncheon served by young ladies of the cooking school.

President Goldin presided, and in the absence of Clerk Cunningham, Commissioner Clemons was chosen to keep the records.

Bills amounting to \$634.48 were ordered paid on the recommendation of the finance committee. After a proposition had been made by the representative of Rand McNally & Co. the board decided to order a set of physical maps from that company at a cost not to exceed \$30. On the recommendation of the text book committee, Supt. Mayne was authorized to adopt the vertical system of penmanship when he might think best for any pupil.

Thanks For Donations.

The thanks of the board were extended to R. P. Young for the donation of an ancient arithmetic; to Mr. E. P. Humphrey for mineral specimens; to the daughters of the American revolution for a beautiful framed portrait of George Washington and a copy of the Declaration of Independence properly framed and to James Sutherland, for a gift of his portrait framed similar to the one in the State Historical society's rooms at Madison. Mr. Sutherland having been the first city superintendent of schools, his present was especially acceptable.

The use of the High and Lincoln school buildings was tendered for the summer school to be held during the vacation; a ton of pea coal was ordered purchased; and the matter of placing a hard wood floor in the gymnasium was left to the building committee.

By-laws Are Changed.

Commissioner Burpee introduced the following amendment to the by-laws, which was adopted:

RESOLVED, That the by laws of the Board of Education be and the same are hereby amended, by adding at the end thereof, the following:

"No indebtedness shall be incurred, except by a committee, without an order signed by the superintendent, clerk and member of the board, and where the same will exceed \$25 it shall first be reported to the board and receive its approval."

"Where any indebtedness shall have been contracted by any committee, the chairman or a member thereof, shall certify to the correctness of the account, when presented for allowance."

"The committee on finance shall not report on any account, unless the same has been certified to, or is accompanied by the return of the order above provided."

Pupils Serve Luncheon.

After the meeting the members of the board were the guests of the pupils of the cooking school, a dainty luncheon being served in the basement of the building. The menu was as follows, the dishes having been prepared by the class:

Creamed Chicken Timbales
Lemon Jelly Pickles
Bread and Butter Sandwiches
Orange Bavarian Cream
Salmon Salad
Cakes
Waters
Coffee

The young ladies who served the luncheon were:

Misses—
Ada Hill, Imogene McDonald,
Nellie Quirk, Kathryn Featon,
Allie Evans, Kittie Crowley,
Dollie Earhart.

THE NEWS OF THE JUNCTION

Social Planned for Saturday Evening—Some Other Events.

Milton Junction, March 5—Remember the lecture of the Seventh-Day Baptist church Saturday evening on "The Railroad to Hell," by Rev. Geo. Chambers of Milton. Admission ten cents. The Mandolin club have kindly consented to furnish music, which alone will be worth the price of admission. Nettie Coon, Mesdames Young, Barret, Ryan, and baby and others, are on the sick list. Mesdames F. W. Coon, John Coon, and A. S. Flagg of Edgerton, visited Mrs. H. Er Miner, Tuesday. Mrs. L. A. Richardson and daughter Minnie, went to Edgebrook, Ill., Thursday, to attend the funeral of a relative. Fourteen members of O. E. S. went to North Johnston to an oyster supper at the residence of Clark Palmer's, Tuesday evening. Elmer Barnes and family of Fort Atkinson, visited relatives here last week. Mrs. L. Garthwaite and daughter Hattie were in town a few days this week. Mrs. Will VanLone is in Milwaukee this week, looking up the millinery business.

Mrs. E. M. Butts of Delevan, is in town visiting her parents and friends. Mrs. Catlin and daughter of Chicago, visited her mother, Mrs. Belle Thorpe, of this place, Sunday. The Kings Daughters will meet with Mrs. C. O. Button, next Monday p. m. Willie Oviatt has gone to Bangor, this state, to work in the printing office of his brother-in-law, Frank Geisler. Lots of people from this place went to Janesville Wednesday to see the "fair." When they got there the people were so numerous they could not get in to see the exhibits but took in the cooking school institute and the crowds. We see by reports from the midwinter fair that Mrs. I. G. Carr took many prizes as usual, getting first prize on jar butter and second on roll butter. The bakery has changed hands Mr. Moses selling to Hoffman & Webb, of Fort Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Moses have given good satisfaction in the bakery and we are sorry to have them give up the business.

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SUNDAY'S SERMON SUBJECTS.

ALL SOULS—The People's Church—Victor E. Southworth, pastor. Morning lecture 10:30. Subject: "The Greatest Need of Modern Life: Moral Courage." Conversation class at the close of the lecture. The Sunday school meet at 12 m. Evening entertainment and free lecture at 7 o'clock. Music by Smith's orchestra, singing by D. D. Keonett, lecture by Henry D. Lloyd of Chicago, author of "Wealth versus Commonwealth," and a prominent leader in matters of social reform. Mr. Lloyd's subject will be "William Morris, the socialist poet." Seats free. Doors open at 6:30. Everybody welcome.

CHRIST CHURCH—First Sunday in Lent. Christ Church C. det service 9 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Litany penitential office sermon and holy communion 10:30. Sermon topic: "The Temptation." Young Men's Bible class 12:10 p. m. Evening service and sermon 7 p. m. Sermon: "My Brother's Keeper." Lenten services: Tuesday service and address 4:15 p. m. Wednesday service 9 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Thursday service and address 4:15. Friday service and address 7:15 p. m.

TRINITY CHURCH—First Sunday in Lent. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Second celebration and sermon 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at noon. Evening service and sermon at 7 p. m. Monday, evening and address 4:15 p. m. Tuesday, evening and address 4:15 p. m. Wednesday, litany, evening and address 7:15 p. m. Thursday, holy communion 7:30 a. m., evening and address at 4:15 p. m. Friday, litany 9 a. m., evening and address at 7:15 p. m. Saturday, evening 4:15 p. m.

COURT STREET M. E. CHURCH—Rev. S. Halsey, pastor. Love feast at 9 a. m. Prelude at 10:30 a. m. Subject: "Church Unity." Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 11:15 a. m. Sunday school at 12. Epworth League at 5:45 p. m. Temperance mass meeting at 7 p. m. under the auspices of the Good Templars with an address by the pastor. All interested in the cause of temperance are cordially invited.

PRE-BYTERIAN CHURCH—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.—Communion and reception of members at the morning service. Subject of sermon, "The Divine Fountain of Human Power." Evening subject, "Joining the Church; Then What?" Young People's meeting at 6 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Robert C. Denison will preach in the morning on "The Remembrance of the Cross," and in the evening on "The Cloud of Witnesses."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Services are held in Room 5 Bennett Block at 10:30 a. m. Sunday. Experience Meeting at 7:30 p. m. Friday. Sunday topic "Spiritual Guidance." All are welcome.

A DAY'S NEWS IN THE TOWN.

Mrs. MARY T. FOCKLER is visiting friends in Chicago.

THE Daughters of Bebekah will give their social this evening.

THERE will be no services at the Baptist church tomorrow.

THE True Blue club will give a dime social this evening at the Armory.

THE International Vaudeville company's engagement will close this evening.

JOHN H. DONAHOE is entertaining his brother, D. Donahoe, of Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

MISS LIZZIE MORRISSEY left for New York yesterday, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John M. Nelson.

THE Neighborhood Whist club met with Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sweeney at the Grand hotel last evening.

THE International Vaudeville company drew a big audience at the Myers Grand last evening, and everyone was pleased with the entertainment. The engagement closes tonight.

MR. and Mrs. James J. Hall entertained the Culture club of All Souls church last evening, the feature of the session being Miss Chittenden's paper on "The Life and Writings of Oliver Wendell Holmes."

MRS. ANNIE COCK threw some coals into the ash box at her home on Pleasant street last evening, and caused a small fire. Officer John Brown extinguished the fire before the department arrived, although he had a hard fight with the flames.

Tour of Old Mexico.

Under escort of American Tourist association. Beau Campbell, General manager. January 15 and February 27. Sleeping and dining cars and special baggage cars through all the tour without change. More miles and days in Mexico, more cities and towns than ever offered. Tickets include all expenses, sleeping and dining cars, hotels, etc. Apply to any ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway for further particulars.

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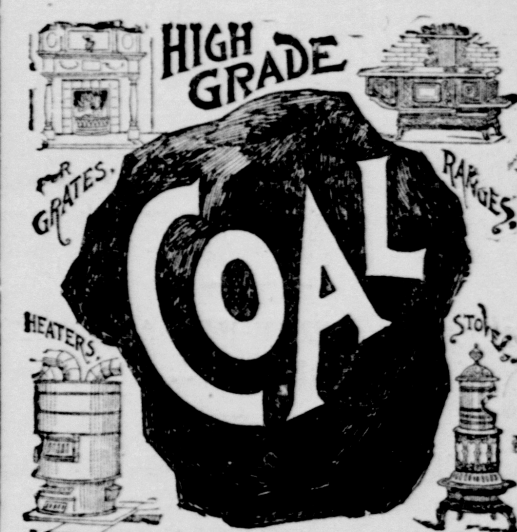
a figured wool skirt, black, with the proper hang, full, well made, good lining. A great skirt for \$1.75.

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THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations On Grain And Produce as Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.

Wheat—Good to best Patent, \$1.10 to \$1.25 per sack.

BUCKWHEAT Flour—25c per 10 lb. sack.

Wheat—F. A. to best quality 65 @ 75c.

BUCKWHEAT—30 @ 35c per 10 lb. sack.

Barley—A. 37 @ 40c per 60 lbs.

Barley—Ranges at \$1.80 @ 2.10 according to quality.

Oats—Old, 18 @ 20c; new, per 75 lbs., 14 @ 15c.

Oats—white, 13c @ 15c.

Upland cotton—\$1.00 @ \$1.25 per bushel.

TIMOTHY HAY—8c @ \$1.00 per bushel.

HAY—Per ton, \$7.00 @ \$7.50.

STRAW—44 @ 50c per ton.

MEAL—50c per 100 lbs. Sifted \$1.07.

BEAN—30 @ 60c; 40 @ 100 lbs. \$1.00 per ton.

FRY—45c per 100 lbs. \$8.00 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—50c per 100 lbs. \$9.00 per ton.

POTATOS—20 @ 25c per bushel.

BUTTER—16c @ 18c.

Eggs—17c @ 18c per dozen.

POULTRY—Turkeys, 9 @ 10 chickens, 6 @ 7.

Wool—11c @ 12c for washed; 13c @ 14c for unwashed.

HIDES—Green, 50c @ 60c; dry, 80c @ 90c.

FELTS—Range at 15c @ 45c each.

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located in the Black Hills of South Dakota have wonderful medicinal properties for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, and kindred ailments, and should be investigated by all suffering from such troubles. First class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Full information furnished on application to ticket agents C. & N. W. Ry.

Excursion Rates to Carson City For the Great Fight.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell round trip excursion tickets to Carson city, Nevada at \$7.50 on March 12 and 13, good for return until March 25 on account of the Corbett and Fitzsimmons prize fight. Short line via Omaha. Electric light vestibule trains. Leave Janesville 6:35 p. m.

Like a Thief in the Night.

Bright's Disease and other kidney troubles steal upon us and are firmly settled before we know it. If the Lungs, Heart or Liver become diseased, they tell us of it very quickly.

The kidneys don't. Their early symptoms are but few and apparently insignificant.

Woe to him, nevertheless, who neglects or misunderstands them.

For it means, first, blood poisoning, then dropsy, then death by stupor (coma) or convulsions.

It may attack us at any age.

Its only signs may be a little headache, a little backache, a little dizziness, a little twitching of the muscles, a slight puffiness under the eyes, a little dyspepsia, slight vertigo or dizziness, and then the light is suddenly blown out.

Ease your kidneys, preserve your health, save your life by using

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Quick Cure of a La Crosse Lady, Where Doctors Failed.

La Crosse, Wis. I have been troubled for several years past with what some physicians pronounced lambago and some Bright's disease, but none were able to give me any relief. I saw your advertisement in The Daily Press and procured a box of Hobbs' Sprague's Kidney Pills. After taking only six of these pills according to directions I am prepared to say the trouble has entirely left me, and I honestly believe it to be a permanent cure. The pills are worth their weight in gold.

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Keep a Shot in the Locker.

That was excellent advice which an old sea captain once gave a young lad who was about starting off on his first voyage: "My boy, always keep a shot in the locker!" It is poor policy for a man to spend all he earns as soon as pay day comes. The best way is always keep some ammunition, pecuniary, intellectual and emotional, on hand in the locker. It will not do to shoot off all one's dimes or dollars, facts or figures in a few wild volleys. He can fight with most comfort, and probably most effect who takes care never to be reduced to the "last round."

Jason's Memory Sandbagged.

Jason Miller vanished from his home in Wilkesbarre a year ago. He reappeared late last week and accounted for his absence by asserting that somebody had sandbagged him and for many months he was without memory. His family gave him a welcome that was not tinged with suspicion.

A Life Saver.

Puffy: "Just saved a man's life!" Guilty: "How was that?" Puffy: "Met a fellow on the street. Said he'd blow my brains out if I didn't give him my watch. Gave him my watch."—Detroit Free Press.

WATERS ON THE RAMPAGE.

Vast Damage Done by Floods in the Middle States.

Chicago, March 6.—Extraordinary floods, devastating Indiana, Ohio and Missouri and unprecedented rainfalls in the Mississippi and Ohio River valleys are the remarkable weather conditions which March presents to the citizens of the middle states.

St. Louis has been deluged with a rainfall of over three inches in twenty-four hours. Cincinnati has had more than four inches. At Indianapolis the fall was in excess of two inches. From the northwest a cold wave is coming. The February chinook, responsible for all this. That warm wave of latter February caused the Ohio to break its banks a month earlier than usual, and made the state of the river at Cairo yesterday morning four feet higher than the danger point. Earlier it was ten feet higher than the danger point at Cincinnati.

What seemed like a cloudburst took place at Cincinnati. A number of lives are reported to have been lost near Greensburg and Lawrenceburg, Ind. A life was lost at Cairo and many people were injured. Railway trains were thrown into washouts and badly delayed. The mails did not come as they should. The Western Union Telegraph service was in bad condition south and east.

DEATH IN A MINE.

One Man Killed and Thirty-Five Injured at Huntington, Ark.

Huntington, Ark., March 6.—Mine 44 of the Kansas & Texas Coal Company of this place exploded Thursday evening, burning thirty-five men, all of them seriously and some fatally.

Over one hundred men, half of them negroes, were employed in the mine. About 4:30 o'clock a muffled roar startled the people. A column of smoke and debris shot up from the air shaft at the mine. In a few minutes after the explosion the men commenced to appear. Some were not burned at all, while others were frightfully injured. The work of looking for those unable to walk up the slope was at once begun. One by one the injured were brought out and taken to their homes in hacks and wagons. How many of them are injured internally the doctors cannot say.

THREATEN BIG STRIKE.

All Building Trades Involved in a Dispute at Chicago.

Chicago, March 6.—Unless the demands of 1,200 plasterers and hod carriers for a restoration of wages are acceded to by employing contractors before Monday noon, the Chicago Building Trades Council, by action taken last night, declares that the 25,000 members of its different trades shall enter upon a sympathetic strike. Such a strike would affect, it is asserted, at least 100,000 persons, and would assume proportions of vaster magnitude than any such demonstration seen in Chicago in years. Those who are promoting the strike declare, too, it would cause a further business depression of tremendous import; and that those who would avoid such a calamity befalling the city should use their influence in endeavoring to remove the cause.

Silenced the "Masher."

He had a smile as bright as a gayly colored trap as he rode up alongside a demure young woman who was walking one of the asphalt paths. She heard the rattle of the wheels at her side, yet she turned not to the right nor to the left.

"Good morning," said the handsome young man, as he raised his straw hat with the dizzy band. "Wouldn't you like to take a ride with me this morning?"

"The girl didn't say 'Sir-r-r' or 'What means this intrusion?'" She slowly turned around and looked the young man over from head to foot. He bore her gaze without flinching and started to get down from his seat as if to assist her into the trap.

The girl looked at him and then at the pocketbook which she held in her hand.

"I don't know," she said, half aloud. "I don't know, I'm sure. How much would you charge to take me to the art museum?"

There was a whirl of a yellow trap, of bright red hat-band and of flying wheels.

"You'll do," said the young man, as he rode rapidly away.—New York Herald.

The Broker's Hot Day.

There is a broker in Wall street, who, for the last twenty years, has been betting that a certain day in July would be the hottest on record. He had lost up to this year over \$20,000, but went at it again and won out handsomely. His friends humored him by offering 100 to 1 against his selection this year, and he is said to have cleared \$45,000.

Untamed.

"Marriage!" said the unsophisticated youth. "Marriage has a civilizing effect in a man. If not, why is it an old bachelor is so apt to be cross and crusty?"

"Because," said the Cumminsville sage, "because an old bachelor is not afraid to say what he thinks."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

MICHAEL ROWEN of Yuba street fell and dislocated his left shoulder.

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

DIME social at the Armory.

DAUGHTER'S of Rebekah social.

INTERNATIONAL Vaudeville company.

For Sunday Afternoon.

TAILOR'S Union.

CATHOLIC Knights.

Y. M. C. A. meeting.

YOUNG People's societies.

MARRIED Ladies' Sodality.

ORDER Railway Conductors.

ORDER of Railway Freightmen.

DIVISIONS Nos. 1 and 3 A. O. H.

ST. PATRICK'S T. A. and B. society.

BROTHERHOOD of Locomotive Engineers.

YOUNG Ladies' Sodality of both Catholic churches.

For Monday Afternoon.

ASSOCIATED Charities.

MAPS AND BICYCLING.

Mapmaking Has Been Boomed by the Popularity of the Wheel.

There not does seem to be, at first glance, any direct relation between maps and bicycles, but there is, and map publishers report that cycling is responsible for a new and enlarged demand for road maps, especially those mounted on muslin. Heretofore the maps in most general use have been railroad maps, and the greatest care has been taken to make these exact, the United States being far ahead of all other countries in respect of the manufacture of maps, giving the locations of cities and towns, and the railroads connecting them. In England, France and Germany the manufacture of topographical maps has been carried much further than in the United States—maps giving the roads, elevations, grades, water courses, and declivities—due, perhaps, in a great measure to the fact that the construction of such maps is under direction of the war department, with abundant means and ample facilities, whereas in the United States the market for maps of all kinds comes from the general public. Of late, however, it has been found necessary, in order to supply the constantly increasing demands of bicycle riders for good road maps, to add to the stock of such publications more especially such as are on muslin. In the last four years there has been an enormous increase in the sale of road maps. Those sold in New York give chiefly the Westchester, Long Island, Staten Island and New Jersey territory through which the best roads run. The headquarters of the map making business of the United States has long been Chicago, and not until the rise of the bicycle as the most approved method of road travel has New York challenged Chicago's supremacy. Map making has been carried of late years to a point at which cheapness and accuracy may be said to meet. The foundation of an ordinary map is a plain copper plate smeared with ordinary lamp black. Over this is spread like a film a composition of soft white wax, and the map drawing, made on engineer's firm blue paper, is spread over the film. Then with a knife, somewhat resembling one of the parts of the compass, the lines are drawn into the wax and the tracing is removed. Map makers have a small contrivance which much resembles what is known as a printer's stick, except that, instead of providing for many lines of type, it provides for only one. This line is "set," and then the type metal, which is copper faced, is heated. As heated, it is applied to the wax adjoining the point marked by each city, and when withdrawn leaves the name of the place clearly marked. After the wax composition has hardened it is suffused with acid, which makes a complete cast, and from this cast the electrolyte is made from which any number of maps may be printed. The chief cost of maps therefore is the first cost, and that provided for the other expenses are insignificant, paper and wooden or muslin mounting being the chief ones. The increased popularity of maps, through the requirements of bicycle riders, has reduced visibly the cost, and this is one of the beneficial effects which have followed the bicycle craze. Still another beneficial effect of the popularity of bicycling has been the improvement of roads in the neighborhood of the larger cities.—New York Sun.

ATE A BARREL OF EGGS A DAY

Shipwrecked Men Subsisted on Them Solely for Twelve Days.

"Do you like eggs?" was the question that stirred up a "49-er" to make some talk in a Bangor store the other day. He was an old man and he straightened up to something like the height of his prime as he answered: "I had a surplus of them once. 'Twas toward fifty years when I was on the

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Two good but little money required. Will take city property. D. Conger.

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FUN IN THE WEST.

Thirteen Tally Marks on the Stock of His Gun.

The man who asked me for a match for his pipe seemed inclined to enter into conversation as he smoked, says a New York Herald writer, and knowing the freehanded ways of the west, I had little hesitancy in observing, after a bit:

"As you took off your cap I noticed that you had been scalped."

"Yes, I was scalped by Injuns a few years ago," he replied.

"Any story connected with that?"

"No, no. I met a dozen Injuns one day who wanted some fun, and so they

threw me down and scalped me."

"You are carrying some bad scars on your face?"

"Yes, pretty bad. A grizzly bear made 'em with his claws. I was out huntin' one day and met a grizzly who wanted some fun, and he turned to and clawed me."

"He didn't lame you in the left leg at the same time?" I asked.

"Noap. He didn't hev nuthin' to do with my leg. I was down to Golden City one day and met Joe Lee. Joe wanted some fun and so he pulled down on me and shot me in the hip."

"I see you have a finger off the left hand. Was that lost while somebody was having fun with you?"

"Wall, yes. I was takin' a drink at a bar in Big Bend and forgot to invite the crowd to walk up. The boys thought they'd have some fun with me, so one of 'em swiped off that finger to make me lose my drink."

"Did a bullet split your right ear?"

"Yes, that was a bullet. A feller named Tom White did that. Met him one day when he was lookin' for fun, and he split that ear with hot lead."

"This western country is a great place for fun, I take?" I said after a period of silence.

"You bet!" he heartily replied.

"And you must have had your share?"

"I caklerlate! Count 'em!"

And he handed me a gun, and I counted thirteen tally marks on the stock. They don't tally for anything less than human beings out west.

Found Him Under the Bed.

Most women are in the habit of looking under the bed every night to see if a man is there. Mrs. Bernard Harkin of Philadelphia has looked for ten years and the other night she was rewarded by finding Elmer Elwerdine, a professional burglar, who is now in jail as a result of a woman's curiosity.

Art for Art's Sake.

"Guilty." Upon the word the counterfeiter's head fell upon his breast and hot tears coursed rapidly down his face.

"That," he heaved, "is what I get for trying to be an artist rather than a mere conartist."—Detroit Tribune.

Like Gold or Base Metals.

Prof. Woods, a chemist of Washington, D. C., has compounded a metalloid which he has named protean-plastic, because, according to the Philadelphia Press, it can be made to resemble any metal or stone with which it may be brought into contact. Protean-plastic, it is claimed, may be molded into any form, is susceptible of a high polish or rough surface; may be rendered imperishable and unbreakable or may be easily fired or made brittle or malleable as gold. The base of this plastic, its maker says, is a finely powdered stone known as statite. This, with other elements, the discoverer subjects to a heat of 600 degrees, adding the substances with which the formula is varied to produce the different effects. At one-third the cost of gold Prof. Woods produces a substance possessing all of the properties of that precious metal, except that its specific gravity is slightly less. Out of protean plastic may be made laces of gold of daintiest patterns or musical instruments of brass or huge building foundations.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1881—Philip Henry Sheridan, Union general, born in Albany; died at Noquitt 1888.
1896—Slaughter of the Texan garrison in the Alamo by order of Santa Anna.
1897—Artemus Ward (Charles F. Browne), the most famous American humorist, died in Southampton, England; born 1834.
1882—Overflow of the Mississippi; 80,000 people driven from their homes.
1888—Louisa May Alcott, author, died in Boston; born 1832.
1892—Edwards Pierpont, American statesman, died in New York city; born 1813.
1895—Edwin Forbes, a well known American artist and a veteran war correspondent with the Union armies, died in New York city; born 1838.
1896—Philip J. A. Harper, retired senior member of the firm of Harper & Bros., died at Hempstead, N. Y.; born 1824.

HASTE IN MADISON.

The legislature has not made much progress in its movement for expeditious methods. The senate voted for a Friday afternoon session, but not a corporal's guard answered the roll call. The members of the lower house were not in favor of either a Friday afternoon or a Friday evening session and lost so time in so declaring.

There is this to be said about expediting business beyond a certain limit. One hastily drawn law may cost more than two months of work in the capitol. The state can afford to pay for an extension of the session far better than to run the risk of ill-considered legislation.

The forcing of business by holding three sessions a day is subject to objection on this ground. As the program is now arranged the legislature holds morning and evening. This leaves only the afternoon for committee meetings. Most of the responsibility for the examining of new measures falls upon committees and the members of the principal committees are kept steadily at work from the noon adjournment until the opening of the evening session. Such crowding of work is not conducive to thoroughness. It is little wonder that mistakes creep in, the wonder is that they are not more numerous.

Russia seems to have got a firm grip on the head of the European diplomatic class by its long series of triumphs, the last of which is a Russo-Japanese Korean treaty. Yet Russia is generally regarded as only a semi-civilized nation.

John D. Rockefeller has promised to add \$10,000,000 to his already large donations to the University of Chicago of which he is the founder. Standard Oil money has certainly proved an excellent lubricant for this institution.

If a concise statement of constitutional amendments be printed on the official ballot, as is now proposed, there will be fewer foolish amendments passed and fewer desirable amendments killed.

The civil service law is all right, but some of the rules for its administration promulgated by Mr. Cleveland, are all wrong, and might be rescinded to the advantage of the public service.

John Sherman's platform—protection to American citizens anywhere and everywhere—is good enough for anybody, and it is going to be lived up to by this administration.

With the governor, the legislature and the people all in favor of the creation of a pardoning board there would be no reason for postponing that much-needed reform.

Jerry Simpson knows the value of advertising. Having worked out the sockless scheme, he has now sprung a silk hat and tailor made suit on the newspapers.

Yes, yes; great party, great administration, and we are all going to have great times as soon as its imprint is felt upon the statute books of the country.

Well, it is a relief to know that Mr. Cleveland is no longer in a position to teach the country expensive object lessons.

Perhaps it was Mr. Cleveland's liking for royal titles that led to his becoming a Princetonian.

Dave Foutz Is Dead.

Baltimore, Md., March 6.—Dave Foutz, late manager of the Brooklyn base ball club and at one time one of the star pitchers of the country, died Thursday evening of asthma. Foutz had been complaining for some time. About ten days ago he became seriously ill, and had since been confined to his bed.

CHICAGO MARKETS BY WIRE.

Chicago, March 6.—[Special] There has been a slow but steady appreciation of wheat values during the week and an advance of two cents has been established. A good share was due to apprehensions in regard to foreign complications but not altogether. Receipts are three hundred thousand larger than last week, all at Minneapolis and Duluth. But it has gone into the mills so there will be no increase in stocks in excess of last week. The visible supply ought to decrease about 1,200,000, which is normal. Crop conditions have been well maintained. The damage reports are normal.

Ohio reports conditions at eighty three compared with fifty seven last year but the report is unreliable. It is too early to judge except from general conditions which have been good.

Export clearances have been smaller but sales of flour have been rather good. A general disposition to even up over Sunday gave us a steady market.

If we get peace news Monday the market will break. This has induced some selling by longs and the bears fearing war were anxious to buy it. Speculators are all hugging the shore and news will be effective.

One thing is sure. Namely, that neither the English or the French snipe will fire on Greece, for the present governments in those countries would not survive twenty-four hours. Corn has shown great strength, advancing a cent from low point, and pork and ribs have scored a material advance. War would create a big demand for our bacon. On the whole the bull side is the safest. Prices would not break as much under any circumstances as they would advance on war news. ROBERT LINDBLOM.

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	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.
May Wheat.....	76 3/4	76 3/4	76	76 1/4
July Wheat.....	73 1/4	73 1/4	73 1/4	73 1/4
May Corn.....	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
July Corn.....	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
May Oats.....	17 1/4	17 1/4	17 1/4	17 1/4
July Oats.....	18 1/4	18 1/4	18 1/4	18 1/4
May Pork.....	\$8 35	\$8 40	\$8 30	\$8 35 1/2
July Pork.....	8 47	8 47	8 47	8 47
May Lard.....	4 22	4 22	4 20	4 20
May Short Ribs.....	4 49	4 49	4 49	4 40
July Short Ribs.....	4 50	4 50	4 50	4 50

Live pool cables 1/2 penny higher.
Minneapolis and Duluth receipts: Wheat 327 Cars. Puts 754. Cals 78. Curb 76 1/2.
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BOUND BY THE TIE OF LOVE.

Ahara-Bigelow.

Evansville, Wis., March 6.—Edwin H. Ahara of Ravenwood, Ill., was married to Miss Emma Bigelow of this city, the Rev. Wallace Short of the Congregational church, officiating. The groom is superintendent of the departments of the Deering Manufacturing company. He was formerly a resident of Evansville, and graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1892. Mr. and Mrs. Ahara will a once take up their residence at Ravenwood. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ahara, Theodore Ahara, and George Ahara of Beloit; Miss Pears and Miss Lulu Thayer of Ripon; and Mrs. F. R. Stone, Englewood, Ill.

Simpson-Clarke.

Beloit, Wis., March 26.—Lewis Simpson and Miss Jennett Elmer Clark were married at the bride's home Rev. W. A. Spinney officiating.

Manitoba School Question.

Quebec, March 6.—It is stated here by a clergyman in the secrets of the Cardinal's council that Cardinal Rampolla, on behalf of the pope, has cabled the Quebec bishops not to interfere with the Manitoba school question pending the visit of the papal ablegate.

AN INTERMITTENT HEART.

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From the Leader, Cleveland, Ohio.

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One black Cheviot Cutaway Suit, size of coat 35, pants 35x32; made to sell for \$28; take them now for..... 18
One black Diagonal Cutaway Coat and Vest, size 41 1/2; made to sell for \$28; take them now for..... 18
One Scotch Gray Pants and Vest, size vest, 43; pants, 43x3 1/2; made to order price \$13; take them now for..... 7
One Gray Striped Cassimere Pant, size waist 38, length 32; made to sell for \$5.50; take them now for..... 3
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R. A. BIGELOW SLAIN A BILL SETS FORTH

MURDER CHARGED IN AN AFFIDAVIT AT CHICAGO.

Mrs. Bigelow, Whom Janesville People Will Remember as Miss Elizabeth VanEtta, Insists That Her Divorced Husband Died of Foul Play—Claims the Insurance.

Nearly three months after the death of Rudolph A. Bigelow, a traveling salesman, whom Janesville people will remember as the husband of Miss Elizabeth VanEtta, and who died at the Palmer house, the charge has been made in the probate court that the man was murdered.

The sensational charges are set forth in an affidavit of Elizabeth Bigelow, who secured a divorce from the decedent last May. The Chicago Daily News says: Mrs. Bigelow lives at the Lexington hotel and is a woman of wealth. Her maiden name was VanEtta. Her father was at one time in the tobacco business in Chicago and was reported to be a multi-millionaire. Some years ago he died, leaving an estate valued at nearly \$1,000,000. Elizabeth got about \$200,000 from her father's fortune and became the wife of Rudolph A. Bigelow. Bigelow had been married before. He secured a divorce from his first wife and in time became a defendant in a suit entered by his second partner in matrimony.

Thought To Have Been Slugged.
December 8 Bigelow died at the Palmer house under peculiar circumstances. At the time of his death it was reported that he had become involved in a quarrel and was struck over the head with some sort of blunt instrument. He was found wandering along the street and was taken to the hotel, where he died in a few hours. Dr. Evans, the house physician at the Palmer house, treated him and declared that he died of alcoholism. The dead man's brothers came here from Freeport, Ill., and took the remains to that city, where the interment took place.

William J. Bigelow, brother of the decedent, was appointed administrator of the estate, which was estimated to be worth about \$2,000. Mrs. Bigelow, the divorced wife of the dead man, was not satisfied with the way things were going and she employed Attorney M. L. Shackleton to look after her interest. For a time there was a determination to exhum the remains of the decedent. Then the matter came to a fight in the probate court.

He Owed Her \$22,000.

Mrs. Bigelow came into court with a claim against her former husband's estate for about \$22,000. The claim was in the shape of a note for \$15,500 which she claimed her husband gave her in 1893. Considerable interest has accrued on the paper. Rudolph A. Bigelow held some insurance policies. The principal policies provided against accident. In order that they should be of any value it would have to appear that the decedent came to his death as the result of an injury. Two of these policies provide that \$11,000 shall be paid the estate in the event of the accidental death of the person insured. These policies have by order of court been delivered into the hands of Mrs. Bigelow's lawyer. It is claimed that there were other policies which have been unaccounted for and Mrs. Bigelow seeks to have an inventory reported to the court.

Makes Sensational Charges.
In her affidavit Mrs. Bigelow declares that her former husband was murdered. She explains that he was struck over the head and there was a large gash over one of his eyes. The woman avers that she insisted that a post-mortem examination should be made, and says she offered to bear the expense of such an examination. She asserts that the dead man's brother objected to such an examination, and makes the affidavit more sensational by setting forth that the physician was to be paid a sum of money to issue the death certificate.

Rudolph Bigelow was a son of John A. and Ellen M. Bigelow. He was about forty years of age, and had several brothers and sisters, but left no children. He traveled for years for a New York house, and was a short time before his death interested in business in Montana. He was a large, fine looking man, and had a wide circle of acquaintances.

Mrs. Elizabeth F. Bigelow, the complainant, is at present in Jacksonville, Fla., and the affidavit was filed by her attorneys.

Dr. Evans Denies It.

Dr. Evans when seen last night at the Palmer house denied that Bigelow had come to his death through violence. "Bigelow did not die under regular circumstances," said Dr. Evans. "His death was the result of the commonest type of alcoholism. The story that I was to receive a consideration for a death certificate from the brother of the dead man is the sheerest nonsense. Mrs. Bigelow never asked me for a post-mortem on the body of Bigelow. His two brothers came to me some time ago and did wish me to say that he died of an accident, and I discovered at the time that he had an accident policy on his life. I 'roasted' them and left. I never held to any opinion in regard to the man but that he died of alcoholism."

ALEX GALBRAITH was reelected president of the Rock county Caledonian society at the meeting of the trustees of the society held at Dr. Mill's office today.

A COLUMN OF LOCAL GOSSIP.

23 pounds sugar \$1.00 at Sanborns. A SALE of shoes for men at Richardson's.

THREE local drunks were jailed last evening.

A gallon can of asparagus for 25c at Sanborns.

STRICTLY fresh eggs 12c a dozen at Sanborns.

SANBORN gives you 22 pounds of sugar for \$1.

HARD to Beat flour \$1.00 a sack at Sanborns.

JAMES NASH and Louis O'Rourke—drunk—two days each.

A SEVENTEEN pound pail of jelly for 30 cents at Sanborns.

OVER 100 new dress skirts just in at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

\$4 for a \$7.50 enameled shoe, S. & G. make at Richardson's.

MONEY to loan on real estate without commission. S. D. Grubb.

WATCH for Sanborn's list tonight. It is interesting in every detail.

A BOY has safely arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Arquette.

REV. Robert Denison will lead the Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow.

THE Parker Pen company invested in \$75 worth of stamps yesterday.

WASHBURN, Crosby & Co's Gold Medal flour \$1.10 per sack at Sanborn's.

DELICIOUS fancy big pineapples only 35 cents each, just in at Sanborn's.

LARGE quantities of tobacco were received at the Carle warehouse today.

MCTOREN's cheese for lunch put up in jars, nothing better, try it at Sanborns.

FROM \$7 to \$4 that is the way Richardson cuts the price of enamel shoes for men.

EIGHT bars of any five of the best known brands of soap for 25 cents at Sanborn's.

\$5 patent leather shoes \$3.50, and Strong & Garfield's goods at that. Richardson.

No man should overlook a bet like Richardson offers: \$7.50 shoes at \$4. Great saving.

RICHARDSON's enamel shoes are causing a great stir. Not often you get \$7 shoes at \$4.

\$5, \$6 and \$7 patent leather shoes odd sizes but good styles for men only \$2 at Richardson's.

ALL new styles. No old skirts to show. These we have are all fresh stock. Bort, Bailey & Co.

DR. MARY LANE's home has been connected with the telephone exchange, her number being 236.

OUT of over 100 different dress skirts you will have no trouble in getting your exact fit. Bort, Bailey & Co.

MEN's calf, cork sole, calf lined regular \$5 shoes, to close out the few odd sizes they go at \$3. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

J. M. BOSTWICK & Sons center window argues well for the up-to-dateness at their assortment of dress goods and trimmings.

FOR RENT—Light desirable room in rear of store at 21 West Milwaukee street, for dressmaking parlor. Enquire at store.

A meeting of the midwinter fair committee will be held at the Kneff & Allen store Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

If your grocer does not keep Pearl White or Vienna flour and refuses to send them to you you can get them at the mill. J. M. Shackleton.

DRESS skirts are cheaper this year than they ever were last, therefore, we can save you much money on new style garments. Bort, Bailey & Co.

MUSLIN special for Monday. Lonsdale and fruit of the loom best of bleached muslins 6 cents a yard for one day only. H. Hoffmaster & Son.

The remains of Stephen VanBuren will arrive in Janesville on the 1:05 train from Chicago tomorrow afternoon. The remains will be taken to the First M. E. church, and thence to Oak Hill.

THE funeral of little Leo Kirchhoff will be held from the home on Prairie avenue at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon and from St. Paul's church at 2:15 o'clock, instead of this afternoon, as was announced through mistake.

ONE hundred short lengths of beautiful novelties in silks opened today. Small even checks are quite new; we have them in black and white and colored effects, from tiny pin checks to one inch square. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

HENRY D. LLOYD the socialist, whose name is well known wherever the large questions of social reform have been considered, a man of brilliant mind and broad experience—will speak on Sunday evening at All Souls, the Peoples church.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Janesville Commercial Travelers' association has been called for this evening at eight o'clock, Grand Hotel parlors. E. M. Estee will present the advantages of the Union Commercial Travelers' association, an accident insurance organization with special benefits.

BETWEEN getting in new dress goods and moving our Clinton stock up, we have been so crowded up stairs, down stairs and in the cellar, that we hardly know which way to turn. Dry goods of all descriptions are priced extremely low with us, bargains of all kinds to be found. T. P. Burns.

A Great Seller.
A galvanized iron oil can with a faucet filled with oil for 95 cents, we are on our fourth dozen within a month. The fact of their selling so rapidly makes it plain that the bargain is genuine. People are calling for them every day. Sanborn & Co.

JUMPED WHEN TOLD; SO NOW SEEKS CASH

PECULIAR GROUND ALLEGED IN DAMAGE SUIT.

Simon Groat Claims He Was Hurt As the Result of Obeying the Order of An Illinois Central Brakeman, and Brings Action to Recover.

When Judge John R. Bennett opens court in Monroe next Monday morning he will have two important damage suits to pass upon. Simon Groat of Broadhead sues the Illinois Central railroad for \$3,000 damages for injuries alleged to have been received in a wreck near Dodgeville. On Feb. 23, 1893, Mr. Groat claims he jumped from a passenger train that was traveling at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour, on the advice of a brakeman, who, it is claimed, rushed into the car and yelled to the passengers to jump for a collision was about to take place. Although few passengers were injured, Groat claims that he was hurt by jumping, so now asks for damages in the sum of \$2000.

W. G. Wallace, a resident of Albany, claims that while walking on one of the sidewalks in that village one of the boards gave way and he was thrown violently to the ground sustaining injuries from which he claims he has never fully recovered. He asks damages in the sum of \$5000. The defendant and the plaintiff in both cases are well known in this city and Fethers, Jeffris, Fildel & Mount appear for both.

BEYOND THE CARES OF EARTH.

George R. Cummings.

George R. Cummings died at his home, 116 North Academy street, at 1:45 this morning, his demise being due to consumption. For several years Mr. Cummings had been gradually failing, and when the final summons came, he sank peacefully into rest. George Reynolds Cummings was born near Harvard, Ill., in 1862. He has been a resident of Janesville for 29 years and has been an engineer on the Chicago & Northwestern Railway for six years. He was an ambitious, genial, warm-hearted young man and his sudden demise at the prime of his manhood is deeply deplored. He has made his last long "trip," and the "boys" on the road will miss sadly him whom they loved and admired. Besides his aged father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Cummings, who live on Washington street, he leaves a young wife, and a son, four years old. To the sorrow stricken wife thus untimely bereft of her loving helpmate, and to the relatives the sympathy of many friends is extended in their hour of bereavement. The funeral will be held from Trinity church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Sarah Morris.

Mrs. Sarah Morris died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Baker, 53 Linn street at 2:30 o'clock this morning. Sarah Morris was born April 1, 1818 at Pompey, New York. She was married in 1845 to Thomas Morris and two years later came to Wisconsin. In 1859 they removed to Janesville, where she has since made her home. Her husband died January 18, 1887. She leaves seven children, two daughters and five sons, Mrs. Peter Josslyn, Mrs. John Baker and J. C. Morris, of this city; John Morris, of Hanover, Kansas; Thomas M. Morris, of Neilsville, Wis.; Mathew Morris, of Jamestown, North Dakota; and Frank R. Morris of Milton.

The funeral will be held from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock Monday morning, and the interment will be at Mount Olivet.

Minnie Zella Johnson.

Minnie Zella Johnson, the two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson, died at the home of her parents on Milwaukee avenue, at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, her death being due to pneumonia.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at 1:30 o'clock and the interment will be in the cemetery at Afton.

MILWAUKEE LAD SICK HERE

Officer Appleby Cares For a Boy Who Was Hungry and Ill.

Fourteen year old Herman Hank of Milwaukee, was taken care of this morning by Officer Appleby. The little fellow left his home in the Cream City last Monday with a basket of artificial flowers that he had found hard work in selling. He arrived in Janesville yesterday half dressed, sick, and hungry and without money. Dr. Joe Whiting examined him and he will be sent home by authorities.

At the La Vista Grocery:

F. S. Winslow, in the Kent block, South Main street, talks strongly: McLaughlin's XXXX coffee..... 15

Lion coffee..... 15

3 pounds finest citron peel..... 25

2 pounds finest lemon peel..... 25

2 pounds finest orange peel..... 25

2 cans finest imported French peas..... 25

1 gallon finest table syrup..... 15

Pail jelly..... 30

F. S. WINSLOW.

One Way of Having Money.

We would like to ask the economical ladies who have a ready made dress skirt that hangs, fits and looks correct is not better than the one made to order. First of all it is cheaper in price. We sell you a skirt perfectly made in every way for what it would cost you for the bare material. Then again you would run no chance as to fit and style. The skirt we show you embodies every point found in the best garment made. Bort, Bailey & Co.

PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.

R. VALENTINE was in Madison. J. B. GREGORY was in Chicago. HARRY ASHCRAFT was ill today.

RANSOM VANKEUREN is dangerously ill.

DR. James Gibson is home from Chicago.

H. G. SLOAN is nursing an injured hand.

WILL LOUCKS is home from the Capitol City.

ALDERMAN G. M. McKEY was in the Line City.

JOHN F. BAUMAN spent the day in Edgerton.

HOWARD D. COLMAN was up from Rockford.

UNDER Sheriff Wallace Cochrane was in Evansville.

H. C. TAYLOR, the stockman, was in from Orford.

H. D. MCKINNEY returned to Chicago this morning.

E. E. SPALDING has been on the sick list this week.

SENATOR John M. Whitehead is home from Madison.

RALPH JACKMAN is home from the State university.

ASSEMBLYMAN W. G. Wheeler is down from Madison.

HARRY LEWIS, the cigar salesman was up from Rockford.

THOMAS EDDEN is able to be about after a two weeks illness.

E. D. PORTER of Sharon, spent last evening with local friends.

E. M. NAIR a prominent Broadhead tobacco dealer, was in town.

MISS MARGARET MCGIFFIN, of Edgerton, spent the day in town.

MISS IDA COBURN of Whitewater, is the guest of Miss Lou Carpenter.

MR. and Mrs. W. S. Pomeroy, of Edgerton, spent the day in town.

JACOB REGTZ, a prominent cheese manufacturer of Monroe, was here today.

REV. V. E. SOUTHWORTH preaches, tomorrow afternoon, in Milton Junction.

MISS CORA CARPENTER, of Evansville has been spending the week with local relatives.

Mrs. E. F. Carpenter and Mrs. Orion Sutherland who have been in Chicago during the past two weeks, will return this evening.

MESDAMES Charles Smith, Frank Woodbury, Charles Doclittle and Miss Smith, of Evansville spent the day in the city shopping.

HENRY D. LLOYD, the millionaire leader of social reform, who speaks at the People's church tomorrow evening, will be entertained during his stay in the city, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Greenman.

THE FIRE TAX WAS \$1,021.11.

Insurance Companies Took In Less Premiums The past year.

The premiums received and the fire tax and the losses paid by the several insurance companies represented in Janesville, for the year ending December 31, 1896, and for the year 1895, were as follows:

1896. Premiums received.....\$51,066.31
Fire tax paid.....\$ 1,021.11
1895. Premiums paid.....\$55,325.62
Fire tax paid.....\$ 1,062.94

Thus it will be seen that the companies received less premiums by \$4,259.31 in 1895 than in 1896. After the companies' pay losses—\$26,000 in round numbers—agents commissions, state and municipal taxes, filing statements, state license to agents, etc., the business for the year 1896 will show a fair margin on the profit side of the ledger for the companies.

Leather Belts for Spring.....

Silk, Canvas, Leather : : :

Harness Buckle, latest novelties, newest styles.

12½c to 50c

Leather Purses and Pocketbooks.....

5c to \$1.00.

All new and pretty.

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Exclusive Ladies' Furnisher,

21 W. Milwaukee Street.

Umbrellas recovered, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50.

W. F. CARLE.

A Spring Suit Bought Right Is Always Right..

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We are showing an unusually fine line of....

Spring Suitings and Overcoatings

At prices that will please you. A fine line of Colored Shirts just received at from 75c to \$1. Our new line of four-ply Linen Collars at 15c or two for 25c. Can't be beat by any.

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ANOTHER MAN HERE TO BUY CAR LINE

W. T. TAYLOR CONSULTS WITH MR. CUMMINS.

Says He Thinks It Would Be a Good Speculation, and Will Buy If the Price is Right—Mr. Blabon Does Not Come in Response to Keyser's Telegram.

And now another man wants to buy the Janesville Street Railway line. This time it is W. F. Taylor of Madison.

Mr. Taylor came to Janesville yesterday afternoon, and held a consultation with Superintendent Cummings.

Last evening a Gazette reporter called on Mr. Taylor. asked him if he sought to purchase the road.

"Yea," he replied to the question, "if it can be bought right. At a reasonable price, I think it would be an excellent speculation."

Mr. Keyser, the man who telegraphed Mr. Blabon to come to Janesville, has returned home, and nothing further has transpired. Mr. Keyser talked with Mr. Norcross concerning the securing of power to run the cars, and then left for Madison, Mr. Blabon failing to come to Janesville as requested.

NO MYERS HOUSE CHANGE YET.

Matter of Rent Causes a Hitch in the Negotiations.

Up to 3 o'clock this afternoon the negotiations for the sale of J. H. Donahoe's interest in the Hotel Myers to C. D. Stevens had not been closed. J. H. Myers refused to sign a lease, claiming that the rent was too low. The price agreed upon is \$6,400. In case the deal is made the firm will be Johnson & Stevens, but Mr. Stevens will attend to the drug store the same as before.

Wisconsin Legislature.

Madison, Wis., March 6.—The constitutional amendment providing for a state board of pardons, to take the pardoning power away from the governor, is likely to pass. The Assembly Friday recalled it from the senate and reconsidered the vote by which it was defeated, after which the resolution was laid over until next Wednesday.

Saturday's Prices

(FOR CASH ONLY.)

23 pounds granulated sugar.....\$1.60

Best Patent flour..... 1.00

Patent flour..... 90

10-lb sack pure buckwheat flour, warranted..... .15

A B C crackers..... .04

Ginger snaps..... .04

Soaps, 8, 10 or 12 bars..... .25

1-lb. can Price's baking powder..... .38

1-lb. can Daisy baking powder, my own brand..... .15

1-lb. bulk baking powder..... .10

1 qt. English walnuts..... .05

4-lb. package washing powder..... .15

5-lb pail pure ketchup rendered lard..... .30

Armour's best mess pork, per pound..... .04

1 gallon new cucumber pickles..... .10

10 qt. fancy hand picked navy beans..... .25

3-lb. can California pie peach..... .05

3-lb. can California lemon Cling peach..... .15

3-lb. can California apricots or plums..... .10

2-lb. can corn..... .05

NEW STERILIZING IDEA.

The Scheme to Be Tried in Paris on a Large Scale.

One of the newest applications of electricity, and one fraught with great possibilities for the future, is about to be tried at Paris, St. Petersburg, and Antwerp, where large experimental plants are being erected for the production of ozone, to be used in the sterilization of drinking water. Ozone, according to M. Repin, of the Pasteur Institute, not only destroys the microbes, but is the only agent which destroys itself spontaneously after having acted without leaving any trace. It offers advantages over sterilization by heating, in that it does not remove the air from the water, and in that it has the advantage of destroying not only living germs, but also organic substances dissolved in the water. The purification of drinking water by ozone has now been carried out on a large scale at Oudshoorn, Belgium, for over a year. The water source at this place was a very polluted one, when untreated being absolutely unfit for use. At the first contact of the water and the ozonized air the greater part of the microbes are killed; but a few offer resistance, and to kill these seven or nine minutes of continued application is required. As a remarkable example of the power of ozone for this purpose, of seventeen sample tubes thus treated sixteen remained sterile. It has also been found that ozonized water is very much less liable to re-infection than water which has been merely filtered and that the beneficial salts in water are scarcely affected by ozone. The color and taste of the water are modified favorably. The only difficulty in the application of the process hitherto has been the want of suitably constructed apparatus to produce the ozone economically and in large quantities. This, however, is believed by M. Repin to have been solved. A practical apparatus is being exhibited at the hygienic exposition in Paris, and at the Belgium plant above referred to. Regarding the cost of the process, which depends chiefly upon the amount of organic material in the water and the price of coal, it has been found that in the treatment of the Seine water less than one-horse power per hour will be necessary for the sterilization of five cubic meters. A daily consumption of 300,000 cubic meters of water, as in Paris, will, therefore, require about 6,000 horse-power, the cost of operating which is not thought exorbitant. The ozone which is not used can be recovered by passing the same air through the apparatus again, and the same machinery can be used for the production of light at night and for the sterilization of water during the day, thus reducing largely fixed charges.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

An Antiquarian Lunch.

Amaziah Dukes, a New York broker, recently said: "I have eaten apples that ripened more than 1,800 years ago, bread made from wheat grown before the children of Israel passed through the Red sea, spread it with butter that was made when Elizabeth was queen of England and washed down the repast with wine that was old when Columbus was playing barefoot with the boys of Genoa. The remarkable spread was given by an antiquary named Goebel, in the city of Brussels, in 1871. The apples were from an earthen jar taken from the ruins of Pompeii, the buried city to whose people we owe our knowledge of canning fruit. The wheat was taken from a chamber in one of the pyramids; the butter from a stone shelf in an old well in Scotland, where for centuries it had lain in an earthen crock in icy water, and the wine was recovered from an old vault in the city of Corinth. There were six guests at the table and each had a mouthful of the bread and a teaspoonful of the wine, but was permitted to help himself liberally to the butter, there being several pounds of it. The apple jar held about two-thirds of a gallon and the fruit was sweet and the flavor as fine as though put up yesterday."—Our Home.

Eat Apples Before Retiring.

Everybody ought to know that the very best thing he can do is to eat apples just before going to bed. The apple has remarkable efficacious medicinal properties. It is an excellent brain food, because it has more phosphoric acid in easily digested shape than other fruits. It excites the action of the liver, promotes sound and healthy sleep and thoroughly disinfects the mouth. It helps the kidney secretions and prevents calculous growths, while it relieves indigestion and is one of the best preventives known for diseases of the throat. No harm can come to even a delicate system by the eating of ripe and juicy apples before retiring for the night.—Bulletin of Pharmacy.

Behind the Times.

"I want a bicycle number of the Scottish Quarterly Review," said he to the newsdealer.

"I don't think the Scottish Quarterly Review has issued a bicycle number, sir."

"No? How very much behind the times!" — Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Tall Corn.

The tallest stalk of corn on record as having been grown in Indiana soil was grown by W. W. Hamilton, president of the state board of agriculture. The stalk measured 17½ feet in height, and the ears are eleven feet above the ground.

Women in Bonn University.

Bonn University has opened all its departments to women who are properly prepared and have obtained the professors' consent to their attending their lectures.

TOILET HINTS.

Olive Oil and Alcohol For the Skin. Handsome Street Costume.

Many women suffer from chapped hands during cold weather, even when they do no manual work which would be likely to cause such a disfigurement. The trouble is often brought about by the bad habit of drying the hands imperfectly after washing them. Some sort of fine soap should be used, and the hands should be wiped on a soft towel until they are wholly free from moisture. A little camphor ice or even olive oil, well rubbed in and followed by a dust of rice powder, will prevent



STREET COSTUME.

roughness, cracking and kindred disfigurements. Olive oil, by the way, is a very simple cosmetic, but a very good one, used a little at a time. It smooths the skin and softens it and is not at all unpleasant to apply, since a few drops only are necessary. These may be poured upon a bit of old linen, with which the face is to be gently rubbed. Everybody knows the cleansing property of alcohol upon the skin, from which it removes settlements of dust that soap and water will not touch. The objection to its use is that it has a burning, drying effect. If alcohol and olive oil are used together, the cleansing power of the alcohol is retained, but its evil qualities are nullified, and the skin is left cool.

Women who suffer from neuralgia should be very careful about washing the hair, selecting a fair day for the purpose and remaining in a warm room until the hair is dry. If warm water dashed with alcohol is used instead of soap and water, the moisture will evaporate much more quickly. The proportion of alcohol being small, it does the hair no injury, but makes it bright and smooth.

An illustration is given of a street costume of violine silk. The tablier of the skirt is defined by two folds simulating a redingote, ornamented with large gold buttons. The foot of the skirt is faced up with a band of Louis XIII embroidery of chamois silk, the irregularities of the top of the hand being followed by a fine gold cord. The bodice is closed by small gold buttons and adorned with large revers and bolero fronts of embroidery like that on the skirt. There is also a point of embroidery extending down the back from the shoulders. The bolero is edged with gold cord and trimmed with gold buttons. The sleeves have medieval cuffs of embroidery and short, full epaulets of violine velvet. The plastron and collar are likewise of velvet, the latter being adorned with embroidery. JUDIC CHOLLET.

HAND PAINTED NOVELTIES.

Oriental Ideas About Clothes and Furniture.—Pompadour Broche Bodice.

Most persons have heard of Punch's "advice to those about to be married—don't," but very few take it as seriously as it deserves. Life is not such a joke at its best that we can afford to risk its most unhappy possibilities. The advice, however, will



BODICE.

apply quite as well to a less serious matter, that of painting, and might be altered so as to read, "Advice to those about to do decorative painting—don't, unless you have some knowledge of the business." There are few sights more ridiculously pitiable to the educated eye than china, picture frames, tapestry and other decorative articles covered with the painstaking and laborious ornamentation of our unskilled hands. Such decoration is an unsightly blemish, the fair, plain surface adorned being infinitely preferable. In fact, it is easy to have too much decoration when it is of the very best quality. It is undoubtedly the case that we go in much too enthusiastically for details. The orientals, much our inferiors in scientific, humanitarian and spiritual status, have yet a wonderful instinct for the fitness of things in the matter of clothing and furnishing. They heartily despise us—our unrest, our eagerness, our sacrifice of leisure to progress. They are infinitely conservative and not logical, and we can afford to despise them in return, if we are rude enough to indulge in such a sentiment, but they are beginning to realize that there is much to be learned from us, and in return we might equally well admit that they have the advantage of us in the matter of simplicity and good taste in the ornamental part of practical things.

The sketch given today shows a bodice of broche pompadour silk having a white ground. It is arranged in two box plaits back and front and has a draped corselet belt of French blue velvet. The square revers are also of velvet, adorned by paste buttons, and the collar is of velvet. The sleeves have a slight fullness at the top and cuffs of blue velvet ornamented by paste buttons. The plaited valois collar is of broche silk. A jabot of lace trims the front. JUDIC CHOLLET.



PROFESSOR J. M. MUNYON.

The Munyon Remedies act instantly, giving relief after the first two or three doses and effecting a rapid cure even in the most obstinate cases. There is a separate Munyon Remedy for each disease and each specific has plain directions, so there can be no mistake. If you are ailing get Munyon's Guide to Health from your nearest druggist; it will describe your disease and tell you how to cure yourself with 25 cent Munyon Remedy. If you find that you have rheumatism take Munyon's Rheumatism Cure. If you have kidney trouble, take Munyon's Kidney Cure. If nervous, use Munyon's Nerve Cure. If you have catarrh, Munyon's Catarrh Cure and Tablets will cure you. If it is a female complaint, use Munyon's Female Cure. If you have stomach trouble take Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure; for a cold or a cough, the Cold Cough or the Cough Cures and so on. No matter what the disease you can be absolutely certain of a cure if you take the remedy recommended in the "Guide." Where you are in doubt, a personal letter to Professor Munyon, 1705 Arch street, will be answered with free medical advice for any disease.

AT ALL DRUGGISTS—25c A BOTTLE

Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama, in Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897.

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CORNELIUS WILCOX & SON.
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Chichester's English Diamond Brand.
PENNYROYAL PILLS
Original and Only Genuine.
Safe, always reliable. Ladies ask Druggist for Chichester's English Diamond Brand in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with blue ribbon. Take no other. Refuse dangerous substitutes and imitations. At Druggists, or sent by mail, 10,000 Testimonials. Name Paper. Chichester Chemical Co., Manchester, England. Sold by all Local Druggists.

A Sale. A Big Sale. A Special Sale. A Sale for Men.



STRONG & GARFIELD

Enamel Shoes, Orient last like cut, reduced to

\$4.00 FROM \$7.00

The most credulous ones say "There must be some mistake; probably never sold for \$7.00." But they have, all the season. \$4.00 doesn't let us out on the cost of them. They must go; we need room; we can't afford to carry them over, and therefore make this unheard of sacrifice. Every good point known to fine shoemaking is embodied in these shoes.

ONE MORE REDUCTION

Strong & Garfield \$5.00 Patent Leather Shoes, guaranteed strictly hand made shoes, go for

\$3.50.

We certainly could not make a living should we sell shoes at these prices all the time, but our anxiety to clean up for spring stock drives us to it. Winter is not over of course; lots of time to wear heavy shoes

Men's \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 shoes, a few odd sizes, go at

\$2.00

Great bargains if you can get your size. Always bear in mind the fact that your cash buys shoes of us—nothing else. We save you money on shoe leather.

THE A. RICHARDSON SHOE CO.

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MEDICAL AMENITIES IN BRAZIL.

Experiences of Dr. Fort, Who Criticized Brazilian Doctors.

In 1880 a French medical graduate named Fort established himself at Rio de Janeiro, where he soon acquired a great reputation as a skillful surgeon, thereby somewhat arousing the jealousy of the local practitioners. Returning to Paris after some years of expatriation he published his impressions of the Brazilian capital, making particular mention of the defective system of instruction in operation at the School of Medicine, and animadverting with much severity on the extreme lack of zeal manifested by the students. A few months ago Dr. Fort again visited Rio de Janeiro, but had it not been for the intervention of the French ambassador the reception he was accorded by his former colleagues and their pupils might well have been attended by serious consequences. The following description of the fracas is furnished by a local paper: "At midday Our door street was blocked by upward of 500 students crying with one voice, 'Death to Fort!' Dividing into groups they then proceeded to the various newspaper offices in the town, demanding the co-operation of the press in publishing the base maligner who, in their persons, had dared to insult the whole of Brazil and its inhabitants. After this they searched the hotels for their victim in order to lynch him, but happily Dr. Fort was absent from the city that day. Thus foiled they organized an execution in effigy with a funeral procession, the starting point of which was at the Medical Faculty. Upward of a thousand students accordingly emerged from the faculty the next morning in regular order, each individual carrying in his hand a lighted taper, while at the head of the column there was a catafalque with a coffin containing the effigy. On either side robed students bearing extra large candles marched as pallbearers, and scattered along the line was a plentiful display of banners decorated with asses' heads and uncomplimentary allusions to Brazil's calumniator. So realistic was the whole scene that prayers for the dead were chanted while the procession was en route, and when the final act of cremation took place in San Francisco square it was accompanied by the solemn strains of 'De Profundis.' By a later account we learn that Dr. Fort "was able to embark on the La Plata safe and sound," and also convinced, we should think, that Brazilian medical students have still some zeal left.—The Lancet.

Thackeray's Two Dragons.

One of Thackeray's charming little sketches represents him endeavoring to escape from the room, while a printer's boy leans against the door to keep him in. One day he was visiting the studio of Baron Marochetti, when their host took down a small engraving from the wall and presented it to him. The subject was "St. George and the Dragon." Thackeray inspected it with great delight for a few minutes, until suddenly, becoming grave, he turned to one of his friends and said: "I shall hang it near the head of my bed, where I can see it every morning. We all have our dragons to fight. Do you know yours? I know mine. I have not one, but two." "What are they?" "Indolence and luxury!" "I could not help smiling," says his friend, "as I thought of the prodigious amount of literary labor he had performed, and at the same time remembered the simple comfort of his dwelling next door." "I am serious," Thackeray continued. "I never take up the pen without an effort; I work only from necessity. I never walk out without seeing some pretty, useless thing which I want to buy. Sometimes I pass the same shop window every day for months, and resist the temptation, and think I'm safe; then comes the day of weakness, and I yield. I shall look at this picture and think of my dragons, though I never expect to overcome them."

An Aerial Torpedo.

The torpedo consists of a small sized gas-filled balloon, capable of sustaining for any length of time from thirty to forty pounds at an elevation of from 500 to 1,000 feet above the earth. Inside of the lower or smallest of the balloon is placed a metal cylinder, which contains an electrical device, the purpose of which is to ignite the gas in the balloon at any stated period. Underneath the balloon is suspended a case or basket containing high explosive, similar to dynamite, which explodes with terrific force when striking a hard substance, like the earth or walled embankments. In action, the management of the torpedo is described as very easy and simple, the inventor stating that a corporal's guard can with it accomplish what would require a large force to do by the usual methods now employed in the siege of cities, or the scattering of large bodies of troops. The torpedo complete is small and compact, and a large number can be carried by a few men or a pack animal.

It Was an Awful Blow.

A Kansas newspaper tells this story: "A. H. Jenkins lives in Kay County. Last June a cyclone knocked the house galleywest. Among other things blown away were his pension papers. The other day these were picked up near Anita, Chautauqua County, Kan., and mailed to him. They were uninjured. There is really no use in wasting all of the lies on the campaign."

The Wretch.

Clare—What shall I sing for you, Jack?
Jack—Have you a song with a refrain?
Clare—Yes.
Jack—Well, then, please refrain.—Comic Cuts.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.

Wash Goods Always Preferable—Warm Underwear Necessary to Comfort.

The first thing to be considered in the matter of little children's clothing is its warmth, lightness and ease. Its beauty is a minor matter, although some mothers regard it as the chief thing. Everybody, however, likes to see the little ones prettily clothed, and the lawns and muslins that best become them may be freely indulged in, even in the coldest weather, if the undertaking is properly looked after. Dresses of white, blue or pink cotton flannel, made with a plain waist and full skirt, will afford sufficient protection under an outer frock of thin material. Wash goods are always preferable for little children, and with this substantial material beneath there is little difficulty in employing them all the year round. Embroidery and lace are by no means requisite. Plain frocks and plenty of them are the requisite for a really well dressed baby. Every mother knows that there is nothing in the world so pretty as an infant's soft, round little face, neck, arms and body. Then why dis-



LITTLE GIRL'S GOWN.

tract the eye from these genuine charms by the fictitious ones of elaborate clothing? For the underdresses flannel or flannel-ette may be employed instead of cotton flannel, although the latter is denser than the former. If wool is employed for wear next the skin, heavy cotton is better for more external protection, as it is less porous. The contact with wool stimulates the skin, but wool is easily penetrated by drafts; therefore there should be something denser outside.

The sketch shows a gown for a little girl 8 years old. It is of blue and black mixed woolen goods, the skirt being open in front over a tulle of blue plaited surah, framed by revers of blue velvet ornamented by paste buttons. The woolen bodice has a vest of plaited surah, with revers of blue velvet, decorated by buttons matching those on the skirt. The close sleeves of woolen goods have caps of plaited velvet, and the collar and cuffs are also of velvet.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

THE LATEST FASHION.

Bodices, Wonderfully and Invisibly Fastened, In Fashion Again.

There is still a pronounced taste for strong contrasts of color in costume. Black velvet is combined with white satin and russet lace or guipure, black and straw, jonquil or orange, violet or pansy purple and silver white, yellow, pale mauve or light blue. These contrasts are more or less softened by a profusion of gauze or tulle, which forms a trimming to almost all costumes. It is usually white, and lace itself is sometimes ornamented with plaques or ruffles of the diaphanous material. Many boleros of yellow lace or renaissance guipure are thus trimmed all around.

Some years ago it was the fashion so to fasten bodices that the closing could not be discerned. These bodices were difficult enough to get into and often made the services of a second person necessary. It now looks as if this fancy were to return. There are a great many plastrons, chemisettes and similar arrangements worn, and in most of the newest corsages pains are taken to place the fastening at one side and in such a way that it shall remain unnoticed. Sometimes it is concealed by a jabot of lace or a coquille of silk, some-



WALKING COSTUME.

times by a flap or strap secured by buttons or a buckle or scarf or drape.

Bodices of tulle, gauze and mousseline de soie are still very much favored. They are very full, ruffled, wrinkled, puffed and draped to an astonishing extent and often are further enriched by lace, guipure or passementerie. Whatever may be their fineness, however, they are always made over a plain, close fitting lining, well boned and finished.

The picture given today shows a costume of pearl gray cloth and French blue velvet. The skirt consists of a deep flounce of cloth mounted on a pointed piece of velvet, the edge of which is adorned with a wide application of white guipure. The blouse bodice of cloth has a short bolero of velvet bordered with guipure and a valois collar, also of guipure. The close sleeves of cloth have cloth puffs. The belt is covered with guipure. The hat of gray felt is trimmed with black velvet and black and gray plumes.

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GHOST WITH A CLANKING CHAIN!

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"The most disagreeable experience in my travels," said the man from Chicago, "was when I awakened in the middle of the night in a Missouri hotel and heard a chain clank in my room. I don't know whether it is the association of a clanking chain that makes the sound so dismal, or the mere fact of being awakened by a noise that shows the presence of something living, but I don't know of a more unpleasant awakening. I sat up in bed, but could see nothing, for the room was as dark as a pocket, and my heart thumped with suspense as I heard that weird clank, clank, clank, accompanied by a strange shuffling noise that was quite as mysterious and baffling. I reached under my pillow and drew out my—

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"Now, my whisky flask. I took a pull that would have made my wife give me a temperance lecture if she could have seen me—

"And what became of it?"

"The whisky?"

"No, no, the clanking ghost?"

"Well, I fell off to sleep after a while, and when I got up in the morning and investigated I found out what it was."

"A maniac?"

"No, I was the only maniac. It was curled up under my bed, chain and all, and it turned out to be a pet coon that the hotel people owned and which had escaped from its quarters and found its way to my room. But I wouldn't put in another night like that for a farm and wood lot!"—St. Louis Republic.

REASONING OF DOGS.

They Figured Out How to Find the Master They Had Lost.

When living a few miles from Hull I was one day accompanied in the expedition to the town by my small dog, half black poodle, half terrier, and a neighbor's collie, who sometimes came to spend the day with us. On our way the dogs missed the vehicle in which I was seated, and I saw neither of them again for many hours. At last, when resting at a pastry cook's I occasionally frequented, my own little animal suddenly rushed in, greeting me rapturously. The shop-assistant said: "Oh, ma'am, is that yours? He has been here before to-day with a large dog. They stayed about 20 minutes, then got up and went out together." Our natural way of return was—past Wilberforce's Column, at the foot of which we found our visitor dog stationed, not recumbent, but sharply on the lookout. He must have remained there, on my accustomed route at the suggestion of "Midge," while he ran back to look for me once more in the pastry cook's. Why else a temporary separation? Both dogs knew the way home perfectly well, but they preferred spending a very long morning searching for me. In their way of doing so I think they showed not only affection, but reason.—London Spectator.

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Notice is hereby given that at the September term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of September, A. D. 1897, being September 7th, 1897, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjudged.

All claims against Judith M. Tilton, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased. All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1897, or be barred.—Dated March 2nd, 1897.

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